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MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/A6PP (AIR FORCE FEDERAL REGISTER LIAISON OFFICER)

FROM: SAF/AQB

Office of the Designated Federal Officer  
Air Force Scientific Advisory Board

SUBJECT: Air Force Scientific Advisory Board Winter Meeting, 24 January 2017

Under the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972 (5 U.S.C., Appendix, as amended), the Government in the Sunshine Act of 1976 (5 U.S.C. § 552b, as amended), and 41 CFR § 102-3.150, the U.S. Air Force Scientific Advisory Board (SAB) will hold a meeting 24 January 2017 at the Beckman Center of National Academies of Science and Engineering located at 100 Academy Drive, Irvine, California 92617. The purpose of this Air Force Scientific Advisory Board quarterly meeting is to kick-off the Scientific Advisory Board's annual studies for fiscal year 2017, offering board members the opportunity to hear directly from a wide-range of Department of Defense dedicated time to begin collaboration on research. The agenda includes several closed sessions, which will contain briefings classified at the SECRET or above SECRET classification levels. In accordance with 5 U.S.C. § 552b, as amended, and 41 CFR § 102-3.155, a number of sessions of the Air Force SAB Winter Board meeting will be closed to the public because they will discuss classified information and matters covered by Section 552b of Title 5, United States Code, subsection (c), subparagraph (1).

Request your office process the attached notice for publication in the *Federal Register*.

CLOSED SESSIONS:

During the closed sessions; the briefings that will be presented and the information disclosed are so intertwined with unclassified and classified material that they cannot reasonably be segregated into separate discussions without defeating the effectiveness and meaning of the overall sessions. To require these sessions of the meeting to be open to the public would prevent discussion of such matters and would negate the ability of this advisory committee to execute its charter as set out in 10 U.S.C. § 9355.

Please contact Maj Mike Rigoni, (703) 695-4297, if there are any questions.

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2 Attachments:

1. Proposed Federal Register Notice
2. Agenda